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ONE CENT

VOLUNTEERS DO MUCH WORK ON THE ROADS

Great Good Accom-
plished on Good Roads'
Day Tuesday

OVER 200 MEN REPORT

Charleroi, Speers, Twilight
and Fallowfield Township
Men Work Together

Wonderful improvement of high-ways in the Charleroi vicinity was accomplished on Tuesday when Good Roads' Day was observed. Fully 200 men from Charleroi worked as volunteers on the road side by side with other volunteers from Speers, North Charleroi, Fallowfield township and Twilight borough. Twenty-five teams at least were out on the roads in the various districts.

One of the most important stretches of highways worked in this vicinity was the Flinn road leading from Lincoln avenue extension, Charleroi, into Fallowfield township three to five miles. The telford foundation was removed from many of the weak spots in this road and a new foundation laid substantially. Holes were dug through the earth underneath and the foundation laid was of stone placed on end. L. C. Bitzer a state engineer, was in charge of this work.

On the road toward Speers from Charleroi three ear loads of slag were placed and the road was put in passable condition. For weeks this road has been absolutely impassable, though usually the route is much traveled. Out Twilight hollow roads were placed in excellent condition by the use of slag and other material. Toward Monongahela the roads were well worked.

James Young, Ellis Spahr and John Jacobs, road supervisors of Fallowfield township were in charge of various districts. Engineers familiar with road work were located wherever needed. Contractor John Hallam, who is doing grading and paving on Lincoln avenue, Charleroi, sent out practically all his teams and men.

One of the big features in the Charleroi section was the dinner served on Maple Creek. Fully 250 persons partook of this meal. The work of preparation was in charge of a Charleroi committee of which J. B. Tussing, freight agent of the Pennsylvania Railroad office here was the chief. After the meal there was some diversion, principal among which was a wrestling match between Kerfoot W. Daly, cashier of the Bank of Charleroi and L. A. McVey a housemover of Charleroi. Daly won in two out of three contests.

In addition to the business men and private citizens who dug and shoveled on the roads, a number of laborers were employed by those who were unable to work to assist. This added generally to the number of workers.

VAUDEVILLE ATTRACTION SCHEDULED AT PALACE

As a special attraction the management of the Palace theatre has booked Madam Clifford, a well known mind reader and mistress of mystic phenomena for the vaudeville program. Madam Clifford will answer questions concerning the topics of the present day. Two regular vaudeville acts and motion pictures will also be on the program.

Preachers Work Hard

Do Their Share of Road La-
bor Tuesday--One a Mem-
ber of Central Committee

Refusing to be outdone in the work for good roads, at least two Charleroi pastors did yeoman duty Tuesday. These two were Rev. John R. Burson pastor of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church and Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. They worked hard on the roads and actually got away with more real work than many others. Another preacher interested in the Good Roads' day work was Rev. C. L. McKee, of Washington a member of the county committee.

GRIFFITH SEEKING A NEW TRIAL

Monessen Physician
Through Attorney Pre-
sents Request

TELLS HIS REASONS

The motion for a new trial for Dr. Milton E. Griffith of Monessen, convicted of voluntary manslaughter in connection with the death of William L. Robinson, a music teacher, has been presented by Attorney Robbins and Wyant.

The motion is exceptionally long, in that it covers six typewritten pages. In substance it is as follows:

First--The verdict of the jury convicting the defendant of voluntary manslaughter is not sustained by the evidence introduced.

Second--Testimony of the commonwealth did not meet the requirements of the criminal law, so as to establish beyond a reasonable doubt that the death of the decedent was caused or hastened by an act of the defendant.

Third--Testimony of the defendant introduced for the purpose of establishing that the decedent's death was the result of Bright's disease and natural causes contributed to that and were sufficient to raise a reasonable doubt, and the court in commenting on the testimony which was expert in character, failed to fully explain to the jury the nature of the testimony, its purpose and effect.

Fourth--The court wholly omitted in the charge to make any reference to the chemical analysis or the result of the examination of the kidneys, as shown by the microscopical examination.

charge failed to call the attention of the jury to the remarks of the district attorney in his closing address which were not sustained by the evidence.

Fifth--The court in the general

MEMORIAL DAY PLAAS LAID FOR CHARLEROI

Parade in Evening With Capt. J. K. Hein as
Marshal and Speaking Arranged--Final
Meeting Held

The committee in charge of the Memorial Day celebration met Tuesday night and made the final plans for the parade and speaking. The parade will form at the corner of Fallowfield avenue and Fifth street: at 6:30 o'clock and march to the play grounds, where the speaking and exercises will take place. Capt. J. K. Hein will be marshal of the parade.

The line of march as outlined now will be:

Charleroi Drum Corps; Washington Avenue Presbyterian Boys' Brigade; Veterans Guard of Charleroi, in automobiles; Burgess S. L. Woodward and members of borough council in automobiles; members of school board in automobiles; fraternal organizations; school children; industrial organizations and others; automobiles with citizens.

The parade will arrive at the playground at about 7 o'clock. The pro-

gram for the exercises is as follows:
Invocation--Rev. W. G. Carl, pastor of the First Baptist church.
Song--By school children.
Address--Hon. T. S. Crigo, ex-congressman of Waynesburg.
Song--By school children.
Short talk--Jacob Wise, a veteran of the Civil War.
Song--By school children.
Benediction--Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor of the First Presbyterian church.

The committee is very anxious that there be a large number of school children in the parade and they will furnish them with flags to carry. They also urge that people appropriately decorate their homes. They also urge that business houses be decorated.

Practically all the business houses will be closed and a big turnout is expected for the parade and exercises at the playground.

EXERCISES AT NORMAL SCHOOL ARE ARRANGED

Commencement Calendar
Announced at California
Institution

Commencement events for the California state Normal school have been announced by Principal W. S. Hertzog as follows:

June 6 at 8 o'clock--Principal's reception to the seniors, trustees, and faculty.

June 17 and 19--State board examination.

June 20 at 8 o'clock--The third year class will give the play, "She Stoops to Conquer."

June 21 at 8 o'clock--Baccalaureate sermon by Dr. Herbert L. Willett, of the University of Chicago.

June 22--Inter-class tennis tournament and field day; in the evening beginning at 8 o'clock the vocal and elocution recital will be given.

June 23 at 9:30 o'clock--Piano recital at 2 o'clock senior class day exercises.

June 24, at 9:30 o'clock--Commencement address, "The Great Crucible," by Pres. Edwin E. Sparks of State College; at 2:30 o'clock alumni reunion and business meeting and at 6 o'clock the events of the week will be closed with the alumni banquet.

DR. H. H. HILL TO ATTEND MEETINGS

Dr. H. Hugh Hill of Charleroi is expected to take part in meetings of the oldest national medical society, which will hold its seventieth annual convention at Atlantic City, June 29 to July 4. The American Institute of Homoeopathy was the first national medical society ever organized in this country and during the 70 years of its existence has worked in advancing the requirements of medicine. The forthcoming session is expected to be an unusually large one as matters of importance to the public welfare are to be brought up.

PLAYERS NOW WORRIED OVER THE SITUATION

Prospects Not Bright for
Members of Late Charle-
roi Baseball Team

Baseball players of the late Charleroi team of the Pawva league will nearly all remain in Charleroi for a day or so, until they get located. Some of them may continue playing ball, while others will take positions at various spots. Some will return to their homes, living nearby. Frank Schafer and Jack Brasel live the farthest away, the former's home being in Philadelphia, and latter's home being in Orange, N. J. Brasel will likely go to Dayton, Ohio, where he has a brother if he does not locate with a ball team, while Schafer will probably go to Akron, Ohio. Brasel is a tool maker. He came well prepared bringing his tools with him. Today players started to sell their uniforms to secure money with which to pay their expenses while here. The team considered playing two or three exhibition games, but the plan may not be carried into effect.

NEW WEEKLY REVIEW PICTURES TO BE SHOWN

"Brutes Force" an exceptionally good drama by the Biograph company is the leading attraction at the Lyric Theatre today. "When Dooly Passed Away" is the title of a comedy picture that is on the program. Manager Pennman has made arrangements for a new weekly by the Hearst Selig Pictorial News. The weekly shows current events of America. This will be the last day that pictures of Charleroi will be shown.

Deed Recorded.
Ben G. Binns receiver of partnership of Piper & Dague, Charleroi to Gary Piper of Charleroi, lot in Donora on McKean avenue, 22 by 100 feet on which is a three-story mercantile and apartment building; consideration \$13,000.

BASEBALL MAN MISSING; LEAVES HIS ADDRESS

Meeting of
Guild Held

Washington Avenue Church
Organization Renders
Pleasing Program

The Westminster Guild of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church met in the home of Miss Vivian Allen on McKean avenue Tuesday evening. The recent convention held in Monongahela was reported by Miss Mamie Rockwell. The society continued the discussion of Mrs. Judson's life. The discussions were led by Miss Ruth Shutt assisted by Misses Stella Baudaux, Mamie Rockwell, Marie Whitehead, Emma Clutter, Sophia Michener, Helen Powers and Bertha Planton. Readings were given by Miss Elma Collins, Miss Hazel Williamson and Miss Nelle Ryland. One new member Miss Beredict was received. A social hour followed the program. A number of visitors were present.

WORKERS ON ROADS NUMEROUS

Washington Countians
to Number of 5,000
Turn Out

WOMEN OFFER HELP

From 5,000 to 6,000 men, women and children reported for work on the highways of Washington county Tuesday, in observance of Good Roads Day. In some districts the women appeared with their shovels and worked all day with the men, while others prepared dinner.

Reports have not been received as yet from all the sections, but estimating from those heard from it is believed that more than 5,000 men will be reported when the honor roll goes into the county committee.

Men from all walks of life and of all ages are included on the honor roll, with boys and girls six years of age who were busy picking stones. Some of the men past 85 years of age worked all day in the hot sun with pick and shovel.

A number of students of W. and J. college put in the entire day on the roads. The W. and J. baseball team went at the work like old hands at the business.

Tuesday marked only the beginning of the good road movement in the county. Long stretches of road were scraped and placed in splendid condition. There are more good roads in Washington county today, than ever before in the history of the county.

Beryman's store will be closed all day Saturday, May 30 Decoration Day. Open Friday evening, 267-24

Paul B. Wreath Said to
be on Way to Jack-
sonville, Fla.

PLAYERS WANT PAY

Arrive From Uniontown to
Find Their Employer Gone
--Anxiety Manifested

Leaving nothing but a forwarding address of Jacksonville, Fla., Pat Brown Wreath of Philadelphia, who this spring was the sponsor for the Charleroi baseball team, disappeared suddenly on Tuesday. Players of his team, with expenses to be paid have been left behind without having received scarcely any of their salaries. Business men who did work for Wreath are complaining that they have not received their money.

Wreath after his two home games of Friday and Saturday, took his team to Uniontown for Monday and Tuesday games. Then H. A. Mackinon who has posed as the president of the Pennsylvania and West Virginia league disappeared. This was on Monday. A meeting of the league backers was held on Tuesday night at Uniontown, and arrangements made to take in a new team, probably Monongahela. Ostensibly to look up plans pertaining to the entering of this new team in the league, Wreath came to Charleroi from Uniontown on Tuesday and left word that he was going to Monongahela. Later a letter was received at the postoffice giving his forwarding address as Jacksonville, Fla.

Tuesday evening some of the players returned from Uniontown, and the balance came back this morning. They knew nothing of the actions of Wreath until this morning and were as much chagrined as business men to ascertain that the erstwhile club president was conspicuous by his absence.

Last Saturday evening Wreath discharged Charles M. O'Day of Toledo, Ohio as playing manager of the Charleroi team and declined to pay O'Day the money the latter figured was coming to him. O'Day at once entered suit against Wreath before Justice of the Peace J. A. Wheeler in an effort to collect. The hearing was put off until next Monday morning at 11 o'clock. O'Day's claim amounted approximately to \$154. That however is only a part of the money said to be due the members of the team. All the players have money coming.

Persons who purchased season tickets from Wreath are out of pocket, and so far many of those who did work for him are losers. It is possible some efforts may be made to locate him.

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Proposals.

Sealed proposals will be received for the construction of a club building for the Loyal Order of Moose No. 108 Charleroi, Pa., until the 15th day of June, 1914. Separate proposals will be received for the heating of the building.

The building committee reserves the right to reject any and all proposals submitted.

Drawings and specifications may be secured at the office of J. A. Lohman, Architect, Monessen, Pa., where all proposals are to be delivered. 267-43.

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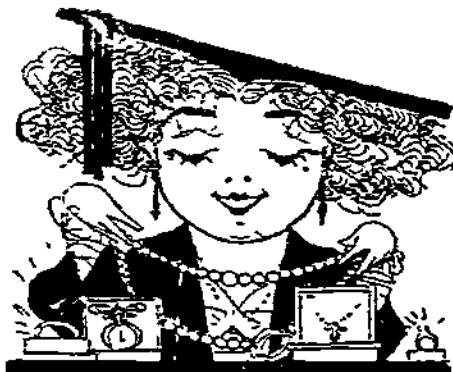
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tional insertion.

LOCAL AGENCIES

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POLITICAL MORALS

It must be admitted, no matter how
reluctantly that the average of politi-
cal morals is not high says the Pun-
cturaway Spirit. We have many men
with fine ideals but we have so
many more who have no ideals worthy
of the name, that the average strikes
low.

Then there is a large proportion of
men who have ideals, but no courage,
as aggressiveness. They are not of
the affirmative class, but will stand
timidly by and permit men of much
inferior mental and moral standards
to frighten them into inactivity.

But the average man is indifferent
to the public welfare and has little
civic pride. He does not concern him-
self much about the character and fit-
ness of the candidates of his party.
He feels little obligation to the state
when he goes to cast his vote. He
permits little favors and little prej-
udices to prejudice him for or against
a candidate. He does not realize suf-
ficiently that he is acting in a public,
and not a private capacity. He argues
with himself after this fashion: "This
candidate is said to be a thief and a
crook. Well, he has never stolen from
me directly, and never will have the
opportunity. So what need I care. I
will vote for him. This other man is
a liar. He is thoroughly untrust-
worthy and unreliable. But he has
never lied to me. I have never had
any dealings with him and perhaps
never will. A friend of his wants me
to vote for him, and I guess I might
as well oblige him. The next man on
the ticket is incompetent. He is not
at all fitted for the office. But he is a
good fellow and needs the money, and
I am not likely ever to require his
services personally, so what's the
odds. I will vote for him also."

Thus selfishness, indifference and
a lack of civic spirit on the part of
the voters, causes the leaders to be
uninfluential about the kind and char-
acter of candidates they recommend,
and the sum of it all is bad govern-
ment.

Therefore comes back—to the
voter. If he acts conscientiously and
uses good discrimination, political and
civic conditions are bound to improve.
If he is indifferent and unpatriotic the
same conditions will prevail in the
public service. The stream cannot
rise above its source.

Right actions result from right

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure

Used and praised by the most
competent and careful pas-
try cooks the world over

thinking, and there can be no right
thinking without good moral ideals
and aspirations.

GOOD ROADS DAY SUCCESSES.

Phenomenally successful was Good
Roads Day as an institution in Wash-
ington county. The amount of actual
good done by volunteers proved the
wisdom of the originators of the idea
and provided vent cause for rejoicing.
Probably nothing means as much to
a community as good roads. Though
this fact has been always well recog-
nized, the means to the end have not
always been at hand. Taxes are high
and the burdens about as much as the
people can bear. Out of the funds
available it has been impossible to ac-
complish only a limited bit annually
toward the improvement of roads,
even with state help, and it is obvious-
ly unwise to consider increased taxa-
tion just now.

The citizens' movement has been
one for good business. It is a good
business proposition for the citizens
to improve their own roads. Mis-
souri with its state-wide good roads
movement attracted the attention of
the nation and the profit reaped am-
ply repaid the effort made.

The same will be true of Washing-
ton county. What the citizens ac-
complished in this epoch making ac-
complishment of Tuesday, the state or coun-
ty could not accomplish in months
through the expenditure of thousands
of dollars. One day a year set apart
for work in roads would result in
them being put in the best of condi-
tion. In the absence of a compre-
hensive nation-wide scheme of road im-
provement worse things might be
considered than the possibilities of an
annual Good Roads Day.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

The accident of Good Roads' day
was in getting so many people to do
manual labor who never did it before.
From the files of a contemporary
newspaper we learn that chicken
thieving was quite frequent 20 years
ago. From which we infer that hab-
it of men do not change much.

Nowhere
Where can I find,
O tell me right,
A woman's skirt
That's not too tight.

Where can I find,
In vain I've prayed,
A pumpkin pie
Like mother made?

Where can I find,
O prithee tell,
A baby who
Forgets to yell?

Where can I find,
Two wives who sit
And do not gossip
Just a bit?

Where can I find,
A taxi bloke
Whom I can hire
And not go broke?

Where can I find
A college lad
Who does not know
More than his dad?

—Philadelphia Star

Tango swimming is the latest at
Atlantic City. If it resembles the
tango dance, about the nearest object
it could be likened to would be a
crazy man with the cramps trying to
swim.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

The great baseball player's wife
never seen a game but he finally per-
suaded her to view one in which he
was to play. He was doing his best,
of course. One strike had been called
on him and as usual in baseball an-
ecdotes two men were out and the
bases full.
Our hero was gathering his strength

for the blow he was going to give the
ball. And the ball came. He knew it
was his as the ball started, and with
a mighty crack he lifted it into space.
Dropping his bat, he sped for first,
and ere the roar of applause burst
forth a slight woman in the grand
stand rose and called:
"Will come back here and put that
bat where it belongs!"

In the sixth grade at a valley school
the teacher was questioning a boy
about Napoleon's disastrous invasion
of Russia and the Russian retreat
from Moscow.

"What did the French do then?"
she asked.

"They ran away," said the boy.

"Yes, that is what they did," said
the teacher, "but 'ran away' is hardly
the correct phrase to use. What
should you have said?"

The boy's face lighted up with un-
derstanding.

"They beat it!" he exclaimed proud-
ly.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PLAN TO GIVE DANCE

Members of Monessen council No.
955 Knights of Columbus and Charle-
roi council No. 956 are planning a
private dance to be held at Eldora
park Thursday evening June 18. Com-
mittees in charge are arranging to
make the dance one of the most elab-
orate to be held this season at the
park. Each year the Knights of Col-
umbus give a summer dance at the
park. Dances in the past have always
proven to be brilliant social affairs
from points all along the valley.

SEVERE BRONCHIAL COUGH

Doctors Feared Lung Trouble. Re-
stored to Health by Vinol.

The medical profession does not be-
lieve that lung troubles are inherited,
but a person may inherit a weakness
or tendency to them.

Mrs. Kate Heckman, Springfield,
Ohio, says: "A few years ago I
was in a very bad run-down condition
and the physician told me I had con-
sumption. I tried another physician
and he told me I had ulcers on my
right lung. I quit the physicians and
started on Vinol. Today I am per-
fectly healthy and that is why I re-
commend Vinol."

Vinol soothes and heals the inflam-
ed surfaces and allays the cough,
Vinol creates an appetite, strengthens
the digestive organs and gives the
patient strength to throw off incipient
pulmonary diseases.

Try a bottle of Vinol with the un-
derstanding that your money will be
returned if it does not help you. Pip-
per Bros., Druggists, Charleroi, Pa.
P. S.—For any skin trouble try our
Saxo Salve. We guarantee it.

SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

Mrs. C. F. Thompson went to Pitts-
burg.

R. E. Brock was a Pittsburg visit-
or Wednesday.

Miss Annetta Wikstrom, a student
of Greensburg school is spending a
vacation with her parents Mr. and
Mrs. Wikstrom of Crest avenue.

Miss Lucy Danklemputte was a
Pittsburg business caller Tuesday.
Miss Angel Danklemputte and
James Sharp visited Mrs. Albert of
Monessen.

John Assenat of North Charleroi
visited friends at Allentown.

WOODWARD ATHLETIC CLUB DEFEATS FRESHMEN

The Woodward Athletic club de-
feated the high school freshmen Tues-
day evening by a score of 15 to 4.
Batteries for Woodward Athletic club
Behrent and McGuire; for high school
freshmen, E. Booth, W. Booth and
Stahlman.

Pipe Organ Arrives.

The pipe organ ordered some tin-
ago by the First Christian church has
arrived, and within a day or two ex-
perts will be here to erect the instru-
ment.

HOW QUEER FISH ARE BRED

Curious Results Obtained by Chinese
and Japanese in Selection and
Crossing.

The telescope fish, a monstrous va-
riety of carp, is a creation of the
Chinese and Japanese fish breeders,
who are past masters in the art of de-
forming nature. It has an almost
globular glistening body, gilded on the
sides, double dorsal fins and a long
tail of peculiar shape. Its eyes and
their sockets are very prominent and
resemble the object glasses of tele-
scopes, whence the name telescope
fish. A carp possessing this abnormal
feature was discovered in Japan in
the sixteenth century, since which epoch
the peculiar character has been
perpetuated and combined with many
variations in form and coloring, by
careful selection and crossing.

The variety known as Yen-tan-yen
or "veil tail" preserves the normal
structure of the eye during life, but
its delicate transparent tail attains an
enormous size and falls in graceful
folds, like a veil, producing effects
that a "serpentine" dancer might envy,
when a little fish moves in the sun-
light.

Other Japanese varieties of the tele-
scope fish are the "sheep's nose,"
which owes its name to the convexity
of its body; the "pig's snout," which
has a head resembling those of Asiatic
swine, and the "fan tail," which
raises and spreads its tail in the
manner of a fan-tail pigeon.

The Chinese breeders of telescope
fish disdain these abnormalities of
structure and devote their attention
chiefly to coloring. By modifying the
temperature of the water, and by im-
pregnating it with lime and iron,
they produce startling shades and
markings. Among the innumerable
varieties thus obtained we may men-
tion the "spotted," with a belly of
silver, and sides and back marked
with blue, yellow, black, rose and car-
mine dots; the crimson "ruby" and
the "superb," with glittering scales,
scarlet belly, and black or bright red
markings on the back.

NEW WAY TO FIND PARTNERS

Up-to-Date Hostess Used Tiny Bou-
quets Made in Pairs
to Match.

At a large card party the hostess
had her guests find partners by pass-
ing tiny bouquets around in which
were put little lace paper frills. The
stems were wrapped in silver paper,
and the card attached said "Table 1,"
"Table 2," etc. The four who had
table 1 found their place and the two
whose bouquets matched played part-
ners. Fancy headed pins were thrust
through the cards so the flowers could
be worn. Every one was charmed
with this pretty idea, and in this same
way a hostess had her guests served
30 at a time at a big large "tea," one
of the assisting ladies handed the bou-
quets as those who were served passed
out and in this way it was easy to
keep track of those who had had re-
freshments.

If real flowers are hard to get tiny
artificial ones may be used with good
effect, and if purchased at a worthy
shop, would be quite expensive. Clever
fingers will easily make them at home.
Rambler roses and forget-me-nots are
lovely.

Popularity Counts.

Michelangelo beckoned to Rem-
brandt.

"I see they've found another of
your pictures, Remmy."

The master sighed.

"They found four last week," he
said, "and five the week before. Fun-
ny, isn't it?"

"That's where the boys who write
have the best of you daubers," said
John Milton. "You don't hear of any
'Paradise Lost's being found in out-of-
the-way places."

"Nor any 'Pilgrim's Progresses,'"
added John Bunyan.

"Nor any 'Hamlets,'" put in Will
Shakespeare.

Rembrandt smiled.

"No," he answered, "I don't. All
these discoveries seem to depend on
present market values."

And pulling his big velvet hat over
his eyes he waved his hand and
stalked away.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Professional Forger.

Forging is generally quite an am-
ateur affair in this country, but in In-
dia, where the professional forger
flourishes, it is the business of a life-
time. A father, for instance, who
thinks he detects in his son an apti-
tude for the occupation, apprentices
him to one of its masters. He learns,
among other things, engraving, pho-
tography, paper-making, chemistry, so
as to deal with colored inks, and
above all, fine penmanship and deli-
cate miniature painting. After several
years' hard work he is pronounced
proficient, and sets up in business for
himself, generally commencing by
counterfeiting government stamps.

The Mind Reader.

"Mind reading? Nonsense!" said
Hawkins contemptuously. "Nothing
in it! I'll give you \$10, Jimmerson, if
you'll read my mind right now. What
am I thinking?"

"Why," said Jimmerson, eyeing
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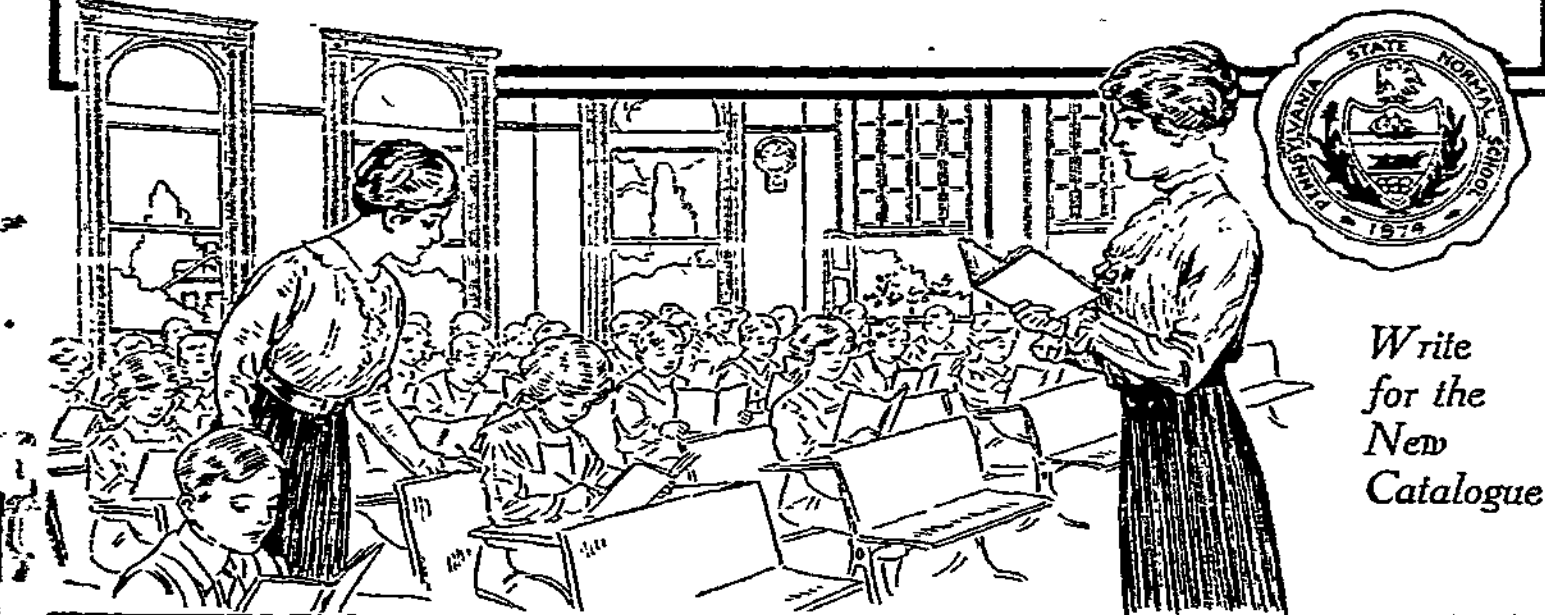
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Writer Insists That Protest of Housemaids' Union is Misdirected—There Can Be No Better Place for Counting.

The housemaids of Cleveland, O., have for some time been greatly agitated over the question: "Shall we or shall we not consent to receive our gossamer friends in the kitchen?"

Good for the housemaids' union—I have in mind, better pay, better sleeping rooms—I hope the housemaids will get all these things. Why not?

But about this kitchen business. Pause a moment, dear Madame President of the Housemaids' union. What is the matter with the kitchen? Is there something disgraceful about it? Pray tell! And if so, when did its disgraceful dishonor begin?

Ugly? A good, wholesome, clean, bright, cheerful kitchen? Why, to my mind, it's the prettiest room in the house, declares Winifred Black in the New York American. What's ugly about a shining floor, and clean curtains, and a bright range, and rows of good cooking dishes?

I've seen dozens of stiff little reception rooms, with stiff little gilt chairs in them, and a stiff, beresford carpet on the floor, and a stiff gilt mirror on the solemn walls, that weren't half so pretty as a kitchen to my eyes.

I don't see anything disgraceful about a kitchen, unless it is dirty. Seems to me, if I could cook well enough to hold a good place, I'd be proud of it, not ashamed, and, whisper, gentle maidens of the Housemaids' union, I never noticed any aversion to the kitchen on the part of any man I ever met.

The average woman has to argue with her husband by day and by night to keep him from making some excuse to get out into the kitchen.

Don't send your young men away from the kitchen, gentle Hilda, or sweet Eileen. Lead him right in and see how mild and tenable the sight of that shiny range and those rows of respectable spoons will make him.

If I had a young man who was a little slow in coming to the point of talking about the flat I'd never see him anywhere but in my kitchen, and I'd wear a good, big, clean, serviceable kitchen apron, when I saw him too.

Oh, yes, the tube skirts and the elaborate hair are well enough to catch his vagrant eye, but when you want to really enchain him give him a doughnut of your cooking, or a dozen cakes or so with raisins in them, and watch the caution and the reserve melt from his manner like snow in the spring sunshine.

Ole isn't all for moonlight picnics and moving picture shows, Hilda; he just acts that way to please you. What Ole really takes an interest in is a good fire on a cool evening, a comfy seat by it, and something good to eat. By this necromancy shall you hold him captive, no matter what yet low-haired siren tries to steal his heart from you.—Exchange.

Cider for Sufferers From Gout.

The unfortunate individual, loving the good things of the table, yet afflicted with the gout, may now take heart of grace, for there is one refreshing beverage which will not be denied him. Cider, it has been discovered, is excellent for gout, and is a splendid tonic for everybody, because of the amount of tannin it contains.

Here is a recipe, handed down in a New England family, for old fashioned mulled cider.

Beat two eggs with two tablespoons of sugar, and pour over the mixture a quart of freshly boiled cider, stirring constantly. Put the mixture on the stove and boil it again. Add some mint leaves, some thin slices of lemon and serve immediately in tall glasses, thick enough to stand the steaming beverage without cracking.

Cider jelly is a delicious dessert for autumn days.

Dissolve two ounces of gelatine in a little water, and when thoroughly dissolved add two and a half pints of cider and a pound of granulated sugar. Boil until it begins to thicken; then strain through cloth and pour into a jelly mold. Serve with whipped cream.

Custom of "Suttee" Survives.

An Indian "suttee" victim case, exemplifying the slowness of Indian customs in dying has been decided in the Allahabad high court. The widow of a Brahmin committed "suttee" on her husband's death, i. e., was burnt alive on the funeral pyre in the presence of the whole village. Five of the relatives were arrested for abetting her suicide, and were sentenced to imprisonment. They appealed to the high court, the defense being that the fire was lighted by supernatural means, the flames descending from heaven. The high court has now rejected the appeal, and has increased the sentences in two of the cases. The present case is only the fourth recorded in the United Provinces and Bengal since 1829, when "suttee" was prohibited.

Unexplored Territory.

"I made a lucky discovery today," said the first physician.
"That so?"
"Yes. I discovered a patient that has never been operated on for any bug."

GREATEST OF ALL DISASTERS

Flood of the Hoang-Ho in China in 1887 Takes First Place Among Catastrophes.

"Talking of floods, what was the greatest disaster nature ever hit the world with? I don't mean the deluge or anything so far off as that, and I don't mean wars, either. They're our own work. But what was the biggest loss of life that ever happened because of a flood or a fire or an earthquake, or anything of that sort, as far back as the ordinary records go?"

"I suppose you don't include plagues, such as the 'black death' that ravaged Europe for a century or so, almost continuously, back in the 'middle Ages'?"

"No; that lasted too long. I mean one of the sudden smashes that have hit the world and knocked out cities or sunk ships; anything of that kind."

"Well," said the man appealed to as a handy reference book, "if you limit it that way I think the flood of the Hoang-Ho, or Yellow River, in China, in 1887, takes first place. It began late in September and before the water went down about 50,000 square miles of one of the most fertile and populous plains in the world had been swept by the swift current. That means twenty-five per cent. more land than there is in Ohio."

"More than a thousand villages and towns were simply washed off the map, and the loss of life has never been calculated at less than a million. Some authorities say that fully 1,100,000 persons perished. It was like wiping out as many people as there are in Cleveland and Cincinnati together."

"I should say that might be the record disaster of all the ages!" exclaimed the friend who started the talk about losses through the violence of nature. "It must be away ahead of anything an earthquake ever did, or a storm at sea."

"Yes, probably by four to one, at least. But some of the worst earthquakes and volcanic eruptions have done a lot of killing where there was no way to get authentic figures. It is possible that more than a quarter of a million people have lost their lives in some earthquake or eruption, or both together, but the odds are against it."

"What a paralyzing thing such a flood as the one in China would be if it happened in this country or Europe!"

"Indeed, it would," was the reply, "but half the people in China probably never even heard the news."

Rather an Abuse.

Claude Grahame-White, the English aviator, is a tory, and, like all tories, he hates the Democratic legislation of the chancellor of the exchequer, David Lloyd-George.

Mr. Grahame-White, in a recent letter to an American friend—married to an American wife, he has many American friends—said bitterly:

"The Lloyd-George policies are all open to abuse. Take his latest policy, the maternity benefit, 30 shillings a week to every insured woman who has a child born to her."

"A mechanic of mine was in a pub, getting a glass of sour ale the other day, when a woman entered. 'Say, old dear,' she began, 'could you let me have half a dozen o' gin on tick? Tom and me are havin' a party tonight.'"

"You're a customer of mine," said the landlord doubtfully, "but if I let you have this gin, when'll I get my money?"

"The woman smiled an embarrassed smile. Then she said: 'Old Lloyd-George'll owe me thirty bob next month. I'll pay you then, old dear!'"

He Should Worry.

Three students of philosophy sat on top of a high hill. One was a Pessimist, one an Optimist and the third had not declared himself.

While the first two were warmly discussing their opposing theories of life, a sudden gust of wind simultaneously lifted off three hats and sent them bowling down the hill. The Pessimist and the Optimist gave chase, but their companion remained calmly sitting on top of the hill and watched the others running after the hats. Presently each procured his own hat and the Optimist picked up also that of the third man. Then they panted back up the hill.

"Whew!" gasped the Optimist, as he handed over the hat to him who still sat on top of the hill. "I guess you're an Optimist, too. You didn't seem to worry any."

"Why should I?" was the dispassionate reply. "I knew that 'mine own shall return to me.' You see, I'm a Fatalist."—Frederick Morson, in *Lippincott's*.

Really Neat Retort.

While telling stories in the firelight on a recent afternoon the question arose: "What is the neatest and cleverest retort on record?" The claimants were many, but the following, which may not be familiar to some of our readers, was adjudged winner:

One day Douglas Jerrold and a friend, who were neither quite so sober as they might have been, quarreled, as men will under such circumstances. Next morning Jerrold, who had forgotten the incident, met the friend on the street, and raised his hat in greeting, as was then the manner. To his surprise he was "cut dead." He pulled up in surprise. "My dear B—, what is wrong?" "Oh," said B—, in whom the memory of the quarrel still rankled, "I never raise my hat to a cad, Jerrold." "Don't you?" replied Jerrold, raising his hat again as he passed on. "I always do."

NORTH CHARLEROI

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Zollers were in Marianna.

Miss Katherine Maxim of Roscoe was the guest of Miss Clara Crispin.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hindard are visiting relatives in Forest county.

Miss Myrtle Dunmire returned home Monday from Pittsburg.

Mrs. Freeman Crispin spent Monday in Monongahela.

Walter Brown and Arthur Phillips of Cheat Haven are visitors of the former's brother Charles Brown.

Miss Dorothy Campbell and Miss Vera Gillis entertained Monday afternoon about 14 of their friends. Recitations and songs were rendered by Miss Vera Gillis and Miss Dorothy Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Booth and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Cope and children spent Sunday in Pittsburg.

Miss Ruth Sager of Donora was the guest of Mrs. George Gillis.

Miss Sarah Minehart of Monongahela visited Miss Dorothy Campbell.

Miss Bertha Henry of Mt. Pleasant and Miss Mamie Leigay of Connelville have returned to their homes after visiting with Miss Henrietta Woodward.

Miss Julia Kenyon of Rochester, Pa., and sister Mrs. Ralph Ferry of Elmira, N. Y., were guests of their brother George Kenyon.

Miss Katherine Barret has returned to her home at East End, Pittsburg after visiting Mrs. Henry Saddle. Miss Sara Shields of Pittsburg spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Shields.

William Gaskill returned to Speers after visiting his cousin Wilfred Gaskill.

Miss Lulu Nutt and Fred Shanks were callers in Monongahela.

James Rumble of Greensboro has accepted a position with the government.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cope and children were in Donora.

Mr. and Mrs. William Zollers and baby of West Newton were guests of the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Zollers.

William Dunham was a Pittsburg business caller.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. McGirr of Pittsburg were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Myers.

Mrs. Clyde Cope and daughter Miss Ruth of Brownsville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Cope.

Misses Mabyl and Hazel Taylor are visiting relatives in McKeesport.

Mr. and Mrs. William Harris of Coraopolis were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Elie Crable.

Misses Selenia and Madge McFadden of Chicago are visiting here.

Mrs. Maud Young and children visited the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Heith of Donora.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Waltz and children were in Webster.

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LETTER SOAKED IN COCAINE

Denver Prison Officials Find the Baneful Drug in Missive to Inmate.

The core of an apple, the peel of a banana and the stone of a peach have been used as a means of smuggling cocaine into the county jail, but attaches believe that an entirely new plan has been evolved, says a Denver dispatch.

A letter was received yesterday addressed to one of the inmates of the "dope" ward. No signs of cocaine could be detected in the corners of the envelope, but the jail officials decided to examine the letter more closely.

A minute scrutiny of the paper on which the letter was written revealed that it was saturated with the drug. There was enough in the sheet to supply one of the victims a week at least. The letter might have escaped detection if it had not been for the fact that the sender had overdone his work. A white powdery substance which covered the entire letter first aroused suspicion.

According to the jail attaches the paper had been boiled in water in which there was cocaine. After the water had boiled away the cocaine was observed by the paper, which was then rolled and dried. The sender of the letter has not been found. He signed no name.

ELOQUENCE WENT TO WASTE

Indignant Mother Had Gained Nothing by Denunciation That She Thought Effective.

Determination writ large upon her angry countenance, the mother of the child who had been bitten by an Irish terrier belonging to a new neighbor (Mrs. Green) gave an authoritative "rat-tat" with the knocker of Mrs. Green's door.

The door was opened by a meek looking elderly woman, and the vials of the mother's wrath burst forth.

"You're Mrs. Green, I s'pose," she sneered. "Green by name an' green by nature, I should call you, to keep a ferocious animal like that there Irish terrier out o' yourn, a-bitin' of innocent children an' a-terrorizing the whole neighborhood! I'll have the law on you! I'll make you pay! D'you hear? I'll sue you for damages and 'ave that 'orrible dog shot by act of parliament, I will!"

Then as she paused for a moment for breath the old woman took a slate and pencil and said, in a mildly apologetic tone:

"Very sorry, mum; but would you mind writin' it all down? I'm stone deaf."—London Tit-Bits.

Bridal Array Costly.

Brides all over the world like to make the best display possible on their wedding day, and the bridal attire of the various countries is invariably both costly and beautiful. For sheer gorgeousness, however, it would be hard to rival the wedding finery of the belles of the island of Sumatra. The dress is woven entirely of gold thread, and its weight is so great that the wearer can hardly move; even standing up requires a distinct effort.

Apart from this shimmering, golden garment, the bride is loaded down with gold ornaments, rings, bangles, earrings, pendants, girdles and necklaces and sundry ornamental purses of the same metal. The huge ornaments hanging on chains around her neck are hollow, but all the smaller charms are of solid native gold, most massively wrought. One might almost think that the natives, having heard something about a good wife being "worth her weight in gold," had set out to prove the fact by loading their quaint little brides with the actual equivalent of their weight in the precious metal.

Pleasant for Auntie.

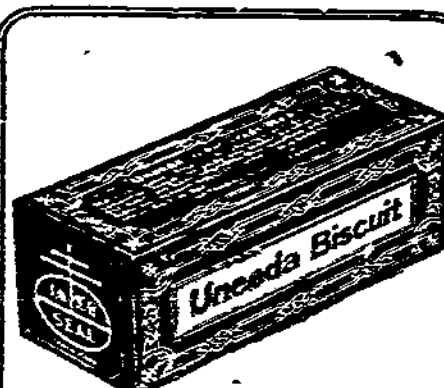
The unmarried woman who shall be the subject of this anecdote was fixing herself up to go out in the evening. A certain man was going to call for her, and though the occasion was somewhat spoiled by the fact that they would have to take her little niece along, she nevertheless took the usual care of her complexion, hair and eyes. For the man was trembling on the verge of a proposal.

The trio—Auntie, Auntie's beau and Auntie's niece—walked along the street until they came to one of these all-night photograph galleries. You know how awful a person looks, standing in the ghastly glare of the mercury-tube lights that they put in the windows of such places? Well, they paused in that awful greeny-yellow light. And the little niece said to Auntie's beau:

"Ooo-oh, look! Auntie looks just like she does when she first gets up in the morning!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

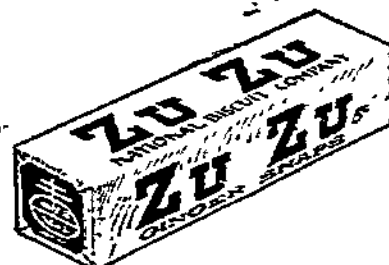
Changed the Subject.

He had plastered his touched-up hair down over his bald spot, and he had assumed the sort of smile that his female friends called "childish" when he was in college. His shoes were shined, and so was his nose. And then he called on the young lady. "My object in calling on you this evening, Gertrude," he began, and then he coughed and added in a trembling voice, "I may call you Gertrude, may I not?" "Sure you can," answered the young girl. "I allow all of papa's elderly friends to call me Gertrude. The oldest of them even call me Gert. You may say 'Gert' if you wish. What was it you wanted to talk about?" He coughed again, and then talked about how much warmer it was in the summer of 1872.



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Will Go Fishing.

The first outing of the Charlevoix Royal Arcanum Catfish club will be held next week. The boys are looking for a good time and a big catch of fish.

AS IT WAS 300 YEARS AGO

Definitely Settled That Women May Not Practice Law in the Courts of England.

Women cannot practice law in the courts of England. This doctrine was recently affirmed by the court of appeal which decided against Miss G. M. Bebb in a suit which she had brought against the Law society and in which she claimed the right to practice as a solicitor. The master of the rolls said that 300 years ago Lord Coke had expressed the view that women could not be lawyers, and so far as this case was concerned, the master of the rolls said he decided it on the ground that at the date of the passing of the solicitors' act of 1843, there was a disability on the part of women to be attorneys.

The act had not destroyed the pre-existing disability. He disclaimed any right to legislate in the matter. No doubt many women, and in particular the present applicant, were in education, intelligence and competency superior to many candidates who would come up for examination. But with that the court had nothing to do. The lord justices concurred and the appeal was dismissed.

Early Suffragette.

Militant-minded women were known in England before the suffragettes. One of whom lies in Henry VII's chapel—Margaret, countess of Richmond, its builder's mother, with her brass effigy by Torrigiano. She hated the Turk and she made, as Camden reports, a sporting offer to the chivalrous of her day: "On the condition that princes of Christendom would combine themselves and march against the common enemy, the Turk, she would most willingly attend them and be their laundress in camp." That position of laundress to the Crusaders would have been an easy one, for it was the fashion to make vows to change no underclothing until the holy sepulcher was regained.

Korean Marriages.

Marriages between widows and bachelors are very much in favor in Korea because not nearly so much money is required from the bridegroom as in the case of his marriage with a young girl. The impecunious bridegroom is scorned by the parents of the girl and he is also unable to pay for the elaborate wedding ceremonies which must take place. All of this he escapes by running off with a widow. It happens in Korea, as in other countries, that the impecunious bachelor is often more desirable from every point of view but a mercenary one than the well-to-do member of the community. Consequently, the widow has a way of attaching a handsome young husband to herself that might well be envied by the young girl.

Smile, and Others Will Smile.

In an elevator of one of our large stores I saw a lady turn her head and in so doing, struck another lady's face with her feather, the lady struck was angry and scowled at the first lady, and in so doing turned her head and struck with her hat ornament another lady. This lady turned her head and struck another lady's face. This lady was annoyed, but she had seen the others, and as she looked up she saw two gentlemen with broad smiles on their faces, and she smiled, and soon the others in the car saw the humorous side, and there were smiles upon smiles in that gloomy store elevator.

Logical.

The Englishman and German were arguing about their different navies. "Oh," said the German, "there is always something the matter with your navy. One day yesterday a battleship was fast in the mud."

"Well," said the Englishman, "if a battleship is fast in the mud it would be a record-breaker in the open sea."

Just the Man.
"I understand you got into jail," said the warden, "on account of a glowing mining prospectus."

"I was quite optimistic," admitted the gentlemanly prisoner.

"Well, the governor wants a report on conditions in my jail. I want you to write it."

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BASEBALL MAN MISSING

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cate Wreath. He came here in April after having rented the baseball grounds for a year. He said he came from Jacksonville, Fla., where he had spent the winter in work for a certain order. He was of a pleasing personality and quickly aroused sentiment in favor of the baseball team he proposed to bring here. His signing of Charles M. O'Day as playing manager won him friends to begin with, for O'Day's name was a familiar one to baseball fans. He improved the baseball park to a wonderful degree, and showed up-to-date ideas that were commendable. The team he got here a little later was composed of clean-cut young men. Nearly all of them were experienced men in baseball, though some of them were beginners in league work.

Horses.

Public sale of Montana Range horses. 40 horses to be sold. Ages 2 to 6 years. At Monessen Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, June 2, 3, and 4. Sale positive whether rain or shine. Several extra fine match teams weighing from 800 to 1200 pounds. Ed. K. Lane, Ravalli, Montana. 269-13

MONONGAHELA TO DO WORK LATER ON ROADS.

Monongahela found it necessary to postpone good roads day work until a later date owing to the fact that seven car loads of slag they had ordered failed to arrive. As soon as the slag arrives the work will be undertaken. Some little work was done in Carroll township, but this was just a culmination of the work which has been under way for the last two weeks.

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